<u>Claims</u>

1. An animal training device comprising:

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- a housing having a central cavity formed therewithin;
- a sound-producing member mounted within said cavity and adapted
 to produce a first audible signal upon the application of force to said sound-producing member;
 - an actuator provided on one face of said housing, and adapted to transfer to the sound-producing member a manual force applied to said actuator; and
 - a whistle comprising a resonance chamber formed integrally in the other face of said housing, and a mouthpiece in communication with said whistle resonance chamber, said whistle being adapted to produce a second audible signal upon a user blowing into the mouthpiece.
- An animal training device as claimed in claim 1, wherein the sound producing member is a flexibly resilient metal strip and the first audible signal is a clicking sound.
 - 3. An animal training device as claimed in claim 2, wherein said metal strip is supported at two locations along its length, and comprises a resiliently deformable portion defined between said two support locations.
- 4. An animal training device as claimed in claim 2, wherein said metal strip is supported at two locations along its length, and comprises a resiliently deformable portion defined between one of said two support locations and a free end of the strip.

- 5. An animal training device as claimed in claim 3 or claim 4, wherein the actuator is arranged to bear against said resiliently deformable portion, thereby to transfer to said portion a manual force applied to the actuator.
- 6. An animal training device as claimed in claim 5, wherein the actuator comprises on its outer surface, a manually-operable button adapted to receive the application of a manual force from a user's thumb.

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- 7. An animal training device as claimed in claim 5 or claim 6, wherein the actuator is mounted in the housing for hinged movement about a pivot.
- 8. An animal training device as claimed in any of the preceding claims,
 wherein the first and second audible signals are audibly distinct.
 - 9. An animal training device as claimed in any of the preceding claims, further comprising attachment means for attaching the device to a chain, cord, key ring or wrist-band.
- 10. An animal training device as claimed in any of the preceding claims,
 wherein the housing is formed from moulded plastics material.
 - 11. An animal training device as claimed in any of the preceding claims, wherein the housing is shaped and sized so as in use to fit comfortably in the palm of a user's hand.
- 12. An animal training device as claimed in claim 1 and substantially as20 herein described with reference to the accompanying drawings.